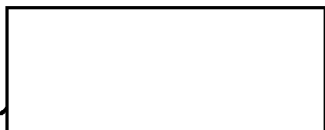


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1. Lunched with Messrs. Lloyd, [redacted] and spent a couple of hours with them after lunch. The attitudes [redacted] seemed quite friendly compared to my original session with them, and I believe that in general they were satisfied that we are running an efficient show in the DD/A area.

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2. I spent a few minutes with Dick Bissell discussing the reimbursement report prepared by [redacted] and his committee. Expressed my disagreement with certain parts of the report and Dick said that he would attempt to rewrite the conclusions and recommendations for my consideration at an early date.

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3. [redacted] were in to brief me on a situation which might possibly involve the misuse of funds and which they are referring to the Inspector General in accordance with standing instructions. Illustrated by this particular case is the necessity to emphasize to all case officers and others that their dealings with agents must be official and that they must not enter into personal arrangements. However, we will await the outcome of this case before publishing any Notice or taking other action.

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4. [redacted] and I saw the Director with regard to furnishing certain security statistics to the Clark Committee. Mr. Dulles said that he thought the report was all right but wanted to clear it with [redacted]. He requested that I draft a brief covering memorandum to the Clark Committee for his signature.

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5. Advised [redacted] that it had been agreed between [redacted] and me that he would be the principal coordinator in the DD/P area when the merger of the Offices of the COA/DDP and the DD/A took place and he seemed to be pleased. However, he felt that in order to assume this new responsibility he would have to be relieved of his present duties as Chairman of the Support Planning Committee, inasmuch as they had required a great deal of his time, and nominated Ed [redacted] as his replacement. I told him that I did not think that Ed had enough stature for the job and requested that he continue to handle it for the time being.

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